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- 1. 🗵 An extension of time for responding to the final rejection for three months:
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- 2. 

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- 3.  $\square$  A fee in the amount of \$330.00 is:
  - ☐ Required. ☐ Not required (Paid in prior appeal).
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